

## CLAIMS

1. Composition intended to be applied to the skin, the lips and/or the integuments, comprising, in a physiologically acceptable medium, at least one composite pigment comprising:

- a mineral core,
- at least one organic pigment at least partially covering the mineral core,

and

- at least one binder for fixing the organic pigment onto the mineral core.

2. Composition according to Claim 1, characterized in that the organic pigment is chosen from the group consisting of the following pigments (listed according to their Color Index): blue pigment: CI 42090, 69800, 69825, 73000, 74100, 74160; yellow pigment: CI 11680, 11710, 15985, 19140, 20040, 21100, 21108, 47000, 47005; green pigment: CI 61565, 61570, 74260; orange pigment: CI 11725, 15510, 45370, 71105; red pigment: CI 12085, 12120, 12370, 12420, 12490, 14700, 15525, 15580, 15620, 15630, 15800, 15850, 15865, 15880, 17200, 26100, 45380, 45410, 58000, 73360, 73915, 75470; black pigment: CI 77266.

3. Composition according to either of the preceding claims, characterized in that the binder is chosen from the group consisting of silicone compounds, polymeric and oligomeric compounds or the like, and in particular from organosilanes, fluoroalkyl organosilanes and polysiloxanes, and also various couplers, such as couplers based on silane, on titanates, on aluminates or on zirconates, and mixtures thereof.

4. Composition according to any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that the mineral core is coloured.

5. Composition according to any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that the mineral core is chosen from the group consisting of: metal salts and metal oxides, especially titanium oxide, zirconium oxide, cerium oxide, zinc oxide, iron oxide, ferric blue and chromium oxide, aluminas, glasses, ceramics, graphite, silicas, silicates, especially aluminosilicates and borosilicates, and synthetic mica, and mixtures thereof.

6. Composition according to any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that the mass proportion of the composite pigment in the composition is between 0.1%

and 20%, especially between 0.1% and 15% and better still between 0.5% and 10% by weight relative to the total weight of the composition.

7. Composition according to any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that it is free of uncoated  $\text{TiO}_2$  particles.

5           8. Composition according to any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that the size of the composite pigment particles is between 0.001 and 150  $\mu\text{m}$ , preferably 0.01 and 50  $\mu\text{m}$ , better still between 0.01 and 25  $\mu\text{m}$  and even better still between 0.05 and 10  $\mu\text{m}$ .

10           9. Composition according to Claim 8, characterized in that the composite pigment particles are less than 2  $\mu\text{m}$  in size.

10. Composition according to Claim 9, characterized in that the composite pigment particles are less than or equal to 1  $\mu\text{m}$  in size.

11. Composition according to any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that the density of the mineral core is higher than that of the organic pigment.

15           12. Composition according to Claim 1, characterized in that the density of the composite pigment is higher than that of the organic pigment.

13. Composition according to Claim 1, characterized in that the organic pigment is fixed without any covalent bonds onto the mineral core.

20           14. Composition according to any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that it comprises at least one cosmetic or dermatological active agent.

15. Composition according to any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that it comprises at least one fatty substance, a wax, a gum or a film-forming polymer.

16. Composition according to any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that it is in a solid or semi-solid form.

25           17. Composition according to any one of the preceding claims, characterized in that it is in liquid, pasty or gelled form.

18. Use of a composition as defined in any one of the preceding claims, for making up the skin, the lips or the integuments.

30           19. Lipstick comprising a composition as defined in any one of Claims 1 to 15.

20. Foundation comprising a composition as defined in any one of Claims 1 to 15.

21. Nail varnish comprising a composition as defined in any one of Claims 1 to 15.

22. Mascara comprising a composition as defined in any one of Claims 1 to 15.

5 23. Product for dyeing hair fibres, comprising a composition as defined in any one of Claims 1 to 15.